GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Services – MA&UD Department – Ongole Municipal Corporation – Sri B.Satish, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Ongole Municipal Corporation, Prakasam District - Certain allegations against Municipal Commissioners and Revenue Officers worked for the last 15 years in Ongole Municipal Corporation - Departmental Proceedings under Rule-20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991 – Article of charges - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (Vig.II.2) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.375 **Dated:23.04.2018.**

Read:-

G.O.Rt.No.370, Municipal Administration & Urban Development (Vig.II.2) Department, dated:23.04.2018.

O R D E R:

It is proposed to hold an enquiry against Sri B.Satish, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Municipal Corporation, Ongole in accordance with the procedure laid down in Rule 20 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Classification, Control and Appeal) Rules, 1991.

2. The statement of articles of charges and statement of imputations of misconduct and misbehavior in respect of which the inquiry is proposed to be held is set out in the enclosed Annexures I&II. A list of documents by which and a list of witnesses by whom, the articles of charges proposed to be sustained are also enclosed in Annexures III & IV.

3. Sri B.Satish, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Municipal Corporation, Ongole is directed to submit his written statement of his defense within 10 days from the date of receipt of this order.

4. Sri B.Satish, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Municipal Corporation, Ongole informed that an inquiry will be held only in respect of those articles of charges as are not admitted. He should, therefore, specifically admit or deny each article of charge.

5. Sri B.Satish, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Municipal Corporation, Ongole is further informed that if he does not submit his written statement of defence on or before the date specified in para 3 above, further action will be processed based on the material available.

6. Attention of Sri B.Satish, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Municipal Corporation, Ongole is invited to Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964, under which no Government Servant shall bring or attempt to bring any political or outside influence to bear upon any superior

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authority to further his interest in respect of matters pertaining to his service under the Government. If any representation is received on his behalf from another person in respect of any matter dealt within these proceedings it will be presumed that above said Sri B.Satish, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Municipal Corporation, Ongole is aware of such a representation and that it has been made at his instance and action will be taken against him for violation of Rule-24 of the Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

7. The Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P., Guntur is requested to serve the charge memo to the charged officer along with copies of documents as per Annexure-III and furnish the dated acknowledgement. If dated acknowledgement is not received in the stipulated time, he is requested to propose for initiation of disciplinary action against the responsible official and furnish the draft articles of charges against them without any delay.

8. The receipt of the G.O. may be acknowledged.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri B.Satish, the then Town Planning Building Overseer,
Municipal Corporation, Ongole, Prakasam District –
through the Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P., Guntur.
The Director of Town & Country Planning, A.P., Guntur.
Copy to:
The General Administration (V&E) Department.
The Secretary to A.P.V.C., 5th Building, A.P. Secretariat.
The MA&UD (B) Department, 2nd block, A.P. Secretariat.
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ANNEXURE-I

DRAFT ARTICLE OF CHARGES TO BE FRAMED AGAINST SRI B.SATISH KUMAR, THE THEN TOWN PLANNING BUILDING OVERSEER, MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, ONGOLE.

Charge No.1:

That Sri B.Satish Kumar, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Municipal Corporation, Ongole has failed to raise objection against encroachment.

Charge No.2:

Thus Sri B.Satish Kumar, the then Town Planning Building Overseer, Municipal Corporation, Ongole with the above mentioned acts has exhibited lack of integrity, devotion to duty and conduct, unbecoming of a member of service and thereby contravened Rule 3 of A.P.C.S (Conduct) Rules, 1964.

ANNEXURE—II

DRAFT STATEMENT OF IMPUTATIONS OF MISCONDUCT/MISBEHAVIOUR IN SUPPORT TO THE CHARGES TO BE FRAMED AGAINST SRI B.SATISH KUMAR, THE THEN TOWN PLANNING BUILDING OVERSEER, MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, ONGOLE.

Even though the Government has instructed to take possession of the leased site of Sri Pasupuleti Malakondaiah Naidu from 01.04.1994 and to conduct fresh auction, the Municipal authorities failed to take action as per Government orders.

The Municipal authorities failed to keep safe custody of lease agreements, concerned registers and corresponding files of leased property leading to suspicion on Officials of Municipal Corporation of colluding with the lease holders.

The Municipal Officials failed to submit proper Counter Affidavits for the Writ Petitions filed by the lessee and facilitated the lessee to continue in the site.

The lessee Sri Pasupuleti Malakondaiah Naidu, (Jyothi Oil Company) the Dealer of Indian Oil Corporation (IOC), Ongole has encroached the site to an extent of 6.08 Gadis or 48.64 Sq.Yards against his actual lease extent of 26 Gadis or 208.00 Sq.Yards.

The lessee encroached the site located on southern side of Guntur road and western side to an extent of 150 Sq. yards and constructed a compound wall and the extent is 48.64 Sq.Yards. The TPBO has failed to raise objection against encroachment.

Thus, the charges.

R.KARIKAL VALAVEN
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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ANNEXURE-III

DRAFT LIST OF DOCUMENTS RELIED UPON TO THE CHARGES TO BE FRAMED AGAINST SRI B.SATISH KUMAR, THE THEN TOWN PLANNING BUILDING OVERSEER, MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, ONGOLE.

1) General Administration Department,(V&E) Report No.39 (C.No.3972/V&E/D1/2013), dt.04.05.2016.

2) Government Memo No.257998/Vig.I.1/2016-1 MA, dt.21.09.2017.

ANNEXURE—IV

DRAFT LIST OF WITNESSES BY WHOM THE CHARGES TO BE FRAMED AGAINST SRI B.SATISH KUMAR, THE THEN TOWN PLANNING BUILDING OVERSEER, MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, ONGOLE.

-Nil-

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